

Team TPS Weekly

Friday 1 May 2026

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Welcome from Mr May

**Head of Faculty, Science and
Technology**



I have been a teacher at TPS for about 18 years, having left a career as a radar systems analyst at QinetiQ for the fast-paced world of the classroom.

When I first joined, the laboratories were quite dark spaces, with large varnished wooden desks and side benches that had evidently been there for many years prior to my arrival. Some of you who were at the school pre-2007 will probably know exactly what I mean!

A few years later, around 2010, our first renovation took place. This transformed five classrooms, taking them out of the dark ages with all-new fixtures and fittings, and clean white desktops that made a huge difference to the atmosphere in the rooms.

Later, in 2019/20, we managed to secure funding from the Wolfson Foundation to renovate the remaining labs—bringing them up to date and installing our first set of lecture-style spaces, with front-facing workbenches incorporating built-in gas and electricity points.

As the school continued to grow, we needed to improve the facilities further. It was therefore a real delight when we secured funding from the Bohunt Trust to complete the construction of a new laboratory. This future-proofs the provision of science education for the local community, providing fully functioning laboratories that are a joy for both students and staff to learn and teach in.

All science laboratories at the school are named after scientists, and our new build has been named in honour of Professor Stephen Hawking. As such, it felt only fitting that the opening and inaugural lecture were delivered by a cosmologist. We were therefore delighted to welcome Professor David Wands, Professor of Cosmology at the [University of Portsmouth](#), to officially open the laboratory.

After cutting the ribbon, Professor Wands gave students a fascinating talk on what cosmology is, what we currently know about the universe, and the questions that the next generation of scientists are still working to solve. He then took some excellent questions from our Year 10 audience, covering topics ranging from quark interactions to what might happen to our universe in the future.



Communications & Reminders



enjoy respect achieve

13,263 ERAs for the whole school this week!



The latest issue of BETTER Times - Issue 23, Summer 2026 - is out! A 'learning beyond the classroom' special, this issue is packed with amazing stories of student and staff endeavour, news and highlights from across our family of schools.

[BET-BETTER-Times-Issue-23.pdf](#)



THURSDAY 7 MAY 2026

TPS SOLOIST AND ENSEMBLES CONCERT

THE TPS STUDIO
6.30pm



TPS | The
Petersfield
School



www.ticketsource Soloist and Ensembles Concert

If you would like to be involved, please speak to Mr Fisher or Mrs Voller



Parental Controls for iPads

What is JAMF?

JAMF is a powerful tool that enables parents and teachers to control access to apps on a young person's device. While in school hours, teachers will have control of your child's device. While at home, parents can have control over the iPad including which apps can be accessed and for how long. JAMF is time restricted. The school will have control between the hours of 8.00am and 3:30pm. Parents will have control outside of these hours. Apps restricted by either the parent or school staff will be hidden completely from the child's home screen.

For more information and instructions, please click on the link below:

[JAMF-Parent-Guide-TPS.pdf](#)



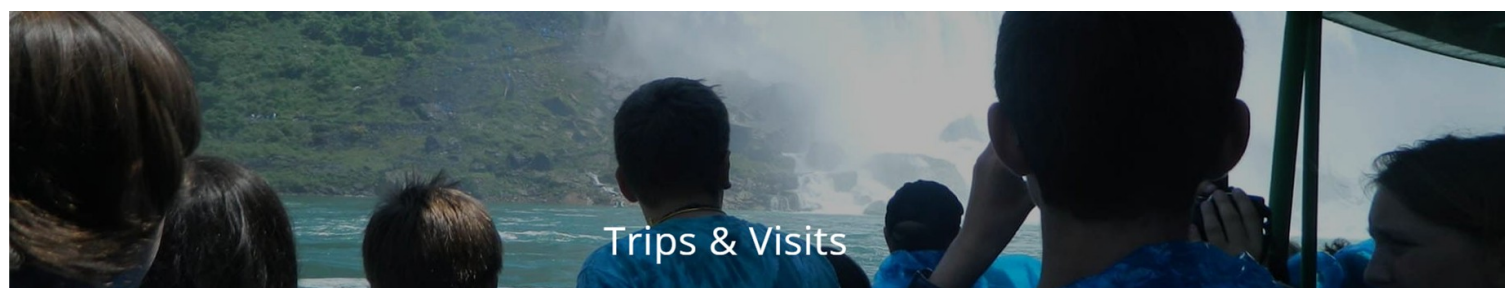
UK health is 'going backwards'

**Is the government responsible for our health?
New research has found the UK's health is going backwards for the first time. Some say we need to rethink how we pay for healthcare.**



This week we are reading, discussing and debating the value of the NHS. New research finds that UK health is going backwards for the first time and healthy life expectancy has fallen, which contrasts to other countries where healthy life expectancy is improving. We are debating whether the government should be responsible for our health and if we need to rethink how we pay for our healthcare.

[TPS-Talks-Week-26-1.5.26.pdf](#)



TPS Trips 2026-2027

Please see links to the TPS Trip Calendars – please note these are subject to change and are a guide to what opportunities may be available to students.

Hygiene Products Donation Request



At our school, we have a set of student wellbeing drawers in the medical room containing essential donated hygiene products. These drawers are available to all students, providing discreet access whenever something is needed. While open to everyone, they are particularly beneficial for students who may not have access to essential everyday items due to their personal circumstances.

This initiative was originally started by one of our Year 11 students and has since become a valued and frequently used resource within the school.

Unfortunately, our supplies are now running low, and we are kindly asking for donations to help us continue offering this support to our students.

Any new, unused items such as soap, shower gel, creams, toothbrushes, or any smellies would be extremely gratefully received and will help ensure that all students can access what they need, when they need it.



Spinnaker Tower Abseiling Challenge



Please help support TPS students Daisy, Izzy, Erin, Grace, Layla, Ella, Eden and Ivy who are abseiling down the Spinnaker Tower in June to raise money for FitzRoy, a charity who work to transform the lives of people with learning disabilities.

We wish the girls the best of luck with their challenge and hope they smash their targets. If you would like to donate, you can find links to each of their Just Giving pages here petersfieldschool.com/.../FitzRoy-charity.

Attendance



Children thrive at 95%+

“It takes a village”

If you are worried about your child’s attendance, or if there are any things going on that make coming to school hard, we are here to listen and help.

“It’s never too late”

Every day in school counts right up to the end of Year 11. Those students who improve their attendance year on year often go on to achieve great GCSE results.

Year 7

Social Media and Teenagers

New Research

New research continues to shine a light on this important topic.

A [longitudinal study from Birkbeck, University of London](#) found that children aged 11–12 using social media for more than three hours a day were significantly more likely to experience symptoms of depression and anxiety two years later. Sleep disruption was identified as a key factor.

We will continue to educate our students on healthy approaches to their digital lives through our PSHE lessons and assembly programme.

Year 7 Homework

Year 7 students start the year with a lighter homework timetable to help them settle into secondary school. From January, they will move onto the full weekly homework schedule.

Below is an overview of the homework students will receive each week from January.

Please note that expressive arts subjects may occasionally set optional enrichment tasks, which students can complete if they would like to.

Subject	Estimated time per week
English booklet	30 minutes
Literacy (Reading Plus/Lexia)	60 minutes (plus 30 minutes completed during Literacy lesson)
Maths Sparx*	30 minutes
Science Sparx*	30 minutes
MFL	30 minutes
History OR Geography project (alternates half termly)	30 minutes

*Over time, the Sparx algorithm should adjust the difficulty level so that it is suitable for individual students, meaning it can be completed in 30 minutes. If you are finding that even after several weeks, your child is spending more than 30 distraction-free minutes completing Sparx, please contact your child's Science or Maths teacher.



Year 8

Y8 Curriculum CHOICES

This week senior staff have been completing the meetings with Year 8 students to confirm their options choices.

There may be a few which spill over to next week but they will all be caught up.

This year Design & Technology has proven to be very popular as a first choice and is oversubscribed.

We are working to try and ensure we can allocate as many students as possible, however due to being oversubscribed there is a higher chance that a reserve will be required. We do understand that this will, unfortunately, mean some students will be slightly disappointed with the final allocation and only having 3 out of 4 first choices.

We cannot tell who will need a reserve as it does depend upon the combination of choices selected and how the software optimises the classes to give the greatest number of successful allocations across the whole year group.



THE PETERSFIELD SCHOOL EXPEDITION TO BORNEO



Petersfield School - Borneo 2028 World Challenge Trip

Thanks for everyone who came along to the information evening on Tuesday night.

Applications are open for the expedition to Borneo, please sign up for the Borneo 2028 trip here. The deadline for applications is Friday 22nd May 2026 with a £350 deposit.

If you missed the talk, here is the recording – https://youtu.be/hGxmz_C95C8

More ideas on fundraising and how you can earn your place on the expedition are here. Remember to also create your EasyFundraising account.

You can still sign up and find out about the expedition on our trip webpage:
myworldchallenge.com/tour

For any questions, please email Holly at World Challenge: hperrett@world-challenge.co.uk, contact the support team on 01494 427600, or speak to Mrs Leahy and Mr Lown

We do hope that you will take up this fantastic opportunity.



Payments for the trips for ERA week are due

This is a reminder that payments for the day trips during ERA week are now overdue.

If you would still like your child to attend their chosen activity please make payment a.s.a.p. otherwise we will need to open the trip to other students and your child may lose their place. This reminder is for the day trips only.

(Please note, that does not include any overnight Year 7 or 8 camps or overseas residentials in that week. Please follow the payment plans as outlined in those letters).



[Click on the link to view the Team TPS ERA Week 26 Brochure](#)

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English booklet	30 minutes
Maths Sparx*	30 minutes
Science Sparx*	30 minutes
MFL	30 minutes
History OR Geography project (alternates half termly)	30 minutes
RE – Padlet article	30 minutes

We would also encourage students to complete 60 minutes of independent reading each week. This doesn't need to be submitted or formally marked – the aim is simply to help students build a regular reading habit and enjoy books of their choice.

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Year 9

KS4 DANCE

IGNITE WORKSHOP WITH JACK MORRIS

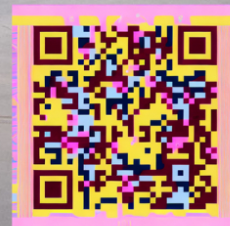
TPS ALUMNI
TRAINING AT URDANG



FROM 2.45 TO 3.45PM
STUDIO 1

Contact Mrs A Jones for
more information.

Scan the QR Code to sign up



**MAY 13
2026**



[Click here to sign up](#)

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Year 10

Senior Prefect Applications – Year 10 Students



We are pleased to inform parents and carers that **Year 10 students can now apply for Head Boy or Head Girl** for the 2025/26 academic year.

From these applications, a **Senior Prefect Team of 8–10 students will be selected**, consisting of:

1 Head Boy

1 Head Girl

Deputy Head Students

The Senior Prefect Team works as a leadership group to represent the student body, support the wider Prefect Team, and contribute to school events and whole-school improvement projects.

Students who are not appointed to a specific senior role may still be considered for another position within the Prefect Team.

Further details and application information have been shared with students in school, and we encourage all interested Year 10 students to consider applying for this valuable leadership opportunity. Any questions please contact Mrs Barwell, hbarwell@petersfieldschool.com

The deadline is TODAY!

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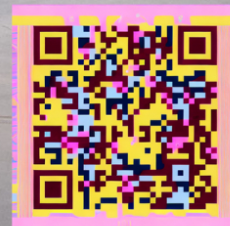
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Year 10 Upcoming Dates:

Please see below a list of events and POST 16 activities for the remainder of Year 10, further details to follow:

College Taster Day – An opportunity to learn more about types of courses. If student is currently interested in the A-level pathway then this will be held at Bohunt 6th Form on 24/25 June. If student is currently interested in a vocational pathway, this will be held at Chichester College on Friday 3 July.

Work Experience/Take your child to work week – 29 June – 3 July. (If student is attending the Chichester taster day, they would do 4 days work experience instead of 5)

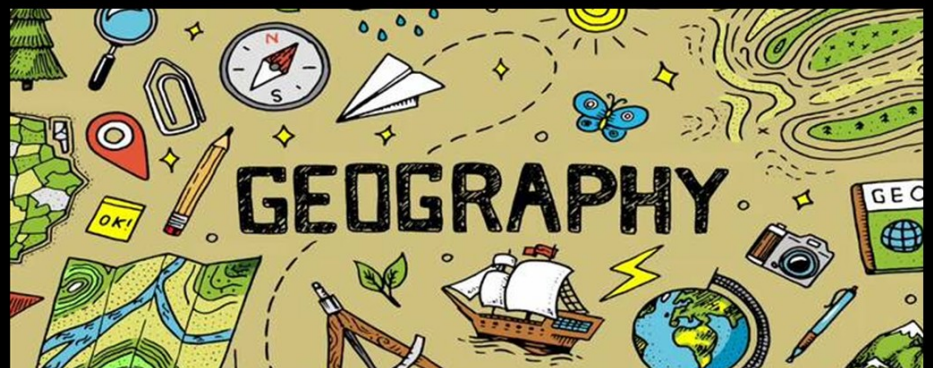
Parents/Carers If you have businesses that would be open to taking on students for Work Experience opportunities, please email lgroves@petersfieldschool.com as we are always very grateful for support in the local area.

Y10 Geography Careers Talk Guest Speaker **Harold Lovell**

Senior Lecturer at Portsmouth University



Harold Lovell is a senior Lecturer at Portsmouth University in GIS and Remote Sensing and Glaciation.



Tuesday 5 May
11-12 P3 in The Main Hall



UNIVERSITY OF
PORTSMOUTH

Sign up- Speak to Mr Currie (Hums 10)

Year 11



Leavers Assembly

Save the Date!

Class of 2026 Leavers Assembly

Thursday 18 June 11.15am-12.30pm

More details to follow!

Year 11 Meal Balance Notification

With our Year 11 students due to finish school in June, we are writing to remind you to ensure that balances on school meal cards are used up and to cancel any auto top-up arrangements you have made in ParentPay.

If you are unable to use up the balance and have used ParentPay to top up the card within the last 24 months, we can refund some or all of the balance back to your ParentPay account. You will then be able to withdraw the balance from your ParentPay account or reallocate it to another fund.

We are unable to refund top-ups that are older than 24 months within ParentPay. These balances can be transferred to the school meal account of another child within the school (e.g. a sibling).

Another option suggested by parents some years ago was donation to the student welfare card. This meal card is used to assist some of our students facing the most difficult circumstances and enables students to benefit from a drink, snack or meal at a time when they most need it. This is very much appreciated by the student welfare team and the students themselves.

Please email fcooper@petersfieldschool.com to action either of these options.

Leaver balances of less than £3 are not refunded and are automatically donated to the student welfare card as detailed on the lunch top up item for which we are very grateful.

Another alternative, if your last top up on ParentPay was more than two years ago, is to request a refund from the catering company (info@accentcatering.co.uk) . The caterers will require bank details in order to action a refund for you.

TPS Finance Team



**25% PRICE
REDUCTION!**

IMPORTANT UPDATE!

The Y11 Prom will now take place on

Monday 22 June 2026

6.30 - 11.00 Old Thorns Liphook

Please note the change of date due to circumstances beyond our control

For more information, please read the attached letter [Prom-2026-Update-letter.pdf](#)

Time to choose your tables!

Please give a list of full names to Mrs Steventon (English Intervention Room).

Tables of 10 people. If you don't have a full table, you will be matched with another group.

Year 11 Final Exam Tips Session

Please find attached the slides from the '[Final Revision & Exam Tips](#)' online session.

Please click on the recording of the presentation (30 minutes) below:

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Take Home, Take 5 is an opportunity for you to engage with your child's revision and offer support. Every Friday you will receive 5 questions and answers for English, Maths, Biology, Chemistry, Physics Geography and History. These are questions you can use to quiz your son/daughter.

It should take you no longer than 10-15 minutes to complete.

[Take-Home-Take-5-Week-12.pdf](#)

[Take-Home-Take-5-Week-13.pdf](#)

[Take-Home-Take-5-Week-14.pdf](#)

[Take-Home-Take-5-Week-15.pdf](#)

If you would like to complete even more Take Home, Take 5 quizzes please click on the link below:

[Take-Home-Take-5.](#)

GCSE and Vocational Exam Information 2026

The GCSE and Vocational Exam Timetable for Summer 2026 is now available on our school website. Please follow the below link where you will find an overview of the timetable (a detailed version including exam board, code and duration is also available) plus some important information that candidates must be aware of.

<https://www.petersfieldschool.com/about/results-and-exam-information/>

Further information will be shared in due course but please note there will be no formal study leave and students will be expected to attend school until they have completed their final exam.

Examination dates are set nationally and it is imperative students attend each exam – there will be no opportunity to sit any missed exams.

In the event of any sustained national or significant local disruption during the examination period, awarding bodies have designated Wednesday 24 June 2026 as the 'Contingency Day' for examinations and therefore students must remain available until this date.

How/What to Revise

Create a timetable

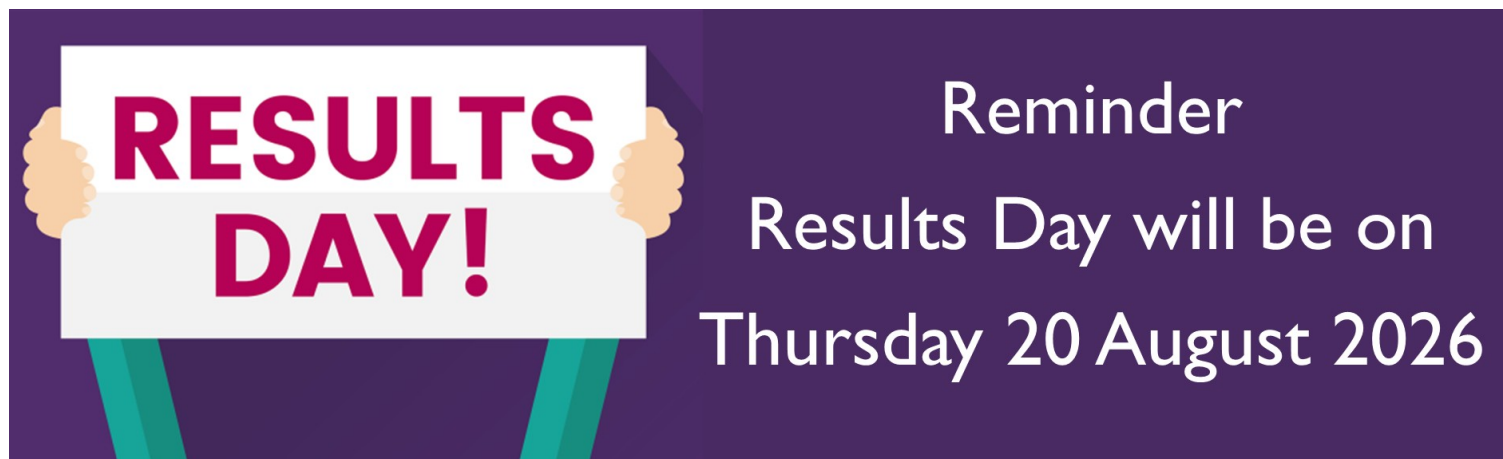
Use the [TPS Revision Pathway](#) to find resources

Bohunt Education Trust's guidance site

[BET Revise](#)

Focus on topics that you are less confident with (RAG sheets)

Remember that revision should be **active** (flashcards, mindmaps, past papers).

A purple banner with a white sign on the left that says "RESULTS DAY!" in bold pink letters. On the right, white text reads "Reminder Results Day will be on Thursday 20 August 2026".

RESULTS DAY!

Reminder
Results Day will be on
Thursday 20 August 2026

Careers

The logo for TPS Careers Hub, featuring "TPS" in blue, "Careers" in orange, and "HUB" in blue with a dot, connected by a blue line and arrow.

TPS Careers HUB → Careers and Post-16 information, plus links to exciting and inspiring opportunities

TPS Careers Hub– Our platform for advice and support on all things Careers and Post-16 information, plus links to exciting and inspiring opportunities. This will be updated weekly so keep checking for information to support your child in making their Post-16 plans!

[CareersHub.com/careers-the-petersfield-school-](https://careershub.com/careers-the-petersfield-school-)



Try a career before you apply

Virtual online work experience courses: springpod.com/virtual-work-experience

REGISTER FOR

FREE

WEBINAR SERIES

For more information and to register, please click on the link below:

[2026/04/InvestIN_-Parent-Webinar-April.pdf](#)

TPS - Spotlight

NFL Flag Regional Qualifiers



NFL Flag Regional Qualifiers – Surrey Sports Park

On Friday 24 April, the TPS U15 Boys, U15 Girls and U13 Mixed Flag American Football teams travelled to Surrey Sports Park in Guildford to compete in the NFL Flag Regional Qualifiers.

The teams were buzzing with excitement as they prepared to play their first-ever competitive American football fixtures. The standard of the competition was extremely high, with many teams clearly having significant training and game experience. This tested all TPS sides, who rose to the challenge superbly. The U13 Mixed team performed exceptionally well, finishing second in their group stage. They then produced a fantastic comeback to defeat fellow Trust school, Costello, in the semi-final. The final saw TPS take on a very experienced Windlesham side, who were pushed all the way in a closely contested match. Despite a huge effort, TPS narrowly lost 13–8 to the eventual tournament winners.

The U15 Girls team delivered an outstanding performance. Despite never having played a competitive match of American football before, they learned quickly and rapidly became the team to beat. Victories against Windlesham and Denefield saw them finish top of their group, win the tournament, and secure qualification for the National Finals in Manchester later this year.

The U15 Boys faced a tough start, opening the tournament against two of the strongest teams in the competition. They lost their first two games by a combined margin of just six points, but responded brilliantly to finish the group stage strongly and claim third place. In the semi-final, they faced a well-drilled Forest School side, looking to overturn the result from their earlier meeting. The boys produced an outstanding defensive performance to grind out an impressive 8–6 victory. The final saw TPS take on fellow Trust school, Bohunt Horsham. Both teams exchanged early points in a highly competitive encounter, but clinical play, intelligent time management and sustained defensive pressure saw TPS secure a 14-12 victory and claim the Regional title. The U15 Boys will now join the U15 Girls at the National Finals in Manchester.

A fantastic day for Team TPS, well done to all players involved.



Dates for your Diary

Confirmation of INSET Days for 2026:

2026 Summer Term

INSET Day Tues 23 June 2026

<https://www.petersfieldschool.com/parents/term-dates/>

Summer Term	Half Term	Mon 25 May – Fri 29 May 2026
	Inset Day	Tue 23 June 2026
	Last day of Summer term	Wed 22 July 2026
	GCSE Results Day	Thurs 20 August 2026
Autumn Term	Start of term for all years	Thurs 3 September 2026



PARENTS: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TELEGRAM



AROUND
1 BILLION
USERS WORLDWIDE

7-8 MILLION
USERS IN THE UK

THIS ISN'T JUST ANOTHER MESSAGING APP



WHAT IS TELEGRAM?

A messaging app used by millions of people worldwide. It allows users to join large groups, share content, and communicate with others, often anonymously.

Some groups can include tens of thousands of users.

HOW TELEGRAM WORKS

- Huge group chats with thousands of users
- Public and private channels anyone can join
- Anonymous usernames instead of real identities
- Fast sharing of videos, files and links
- Conversations that feel hidden or temporary

WHY THIS IS A PROBLEM FOR CHILDREN

- Content can appear without being searched
- Strangers contact children in shared spaces
- Harmful behaviour can feel normal in groups
- Fewer safeguards than most other apps
- Harder to challenge or report what's shared

WHAT CHILDREN CAN BE EXPOSED TO

- Sexual and violent content shared in groups
- Pornography and non-consensual images
- Grooming and exploitation by adults
- Misogyny and harmful online communities
- Scams, blackmail and sextortion risks
- Extremist content and radicalisation



GROUPS CAN HAVE UP TO
200,000
MEMBERS



HARMFUL CONTENT
SPREADS FAST
AND WIDELY

TELEGRAM IS NOT A SAFE PLATFORM FOR CHILDREN
IT IS NOT DESIGNED WITH CHILD SAFETY IN MIND

Sports Results and News

Year 7 Girls Handball Friendly

TPS 18-14 Christ's College

Our girls U12 team travelled to Christ's College on Friday for their first handball game together, the girls did exceptionally well against a tough opposition where the scoreline changed hands on a number of occasions. TPS in the end finished up as winners after some excellent effort from all of the players involved. Some of the girls now look forward to the U13 Regional Finals on 29th April at Stoke Mandeville.



Monday 27th April

Year 8 Boys and Girls Tennis LTA Division 2 League

TPS vs Eggars

Wednesday 29th April

Year 11 Boys Football Friendly

TPS 1-3 Liphook

Year 8 Boys and Girls Regional Handball Finals

Well done to our U13 boys and girls handball teams who travelled to Stoke Mandeville on Wednesday with the hope of booking a place in the National Finals. The boys were first to take the court and despite playing very little together that created some amazing moments. The boys lost their opener to the Royal Grammar school 10-3, they then had a rematch of the pre regional game against Toynbee

that finished 10-6 to Toynbee before playing Bohunt Wokingham in a 5/6th place play off that Wokingham ran out worthy winners.

The girls then took to the court, their opener against St Michaels was a nail biter with TPS edging the game 5-3. TPS then played Kingsbrook who won 3-0 leaving TPS needing to win the last game. The game finished 3-3 against Aylesbury High. Due to results going TPS way else where, this was enough to qualify in second place. This left a semi final tie against Northampton SFG who unfortunately showed their dominance in the Semi final before going on to win the competition. The girls fought bravely and finished up the day with a 3rd place play off against Wokingham that Wokingham ran out worthy winners again.

A great learning experience for the students with a lot of the girls playing a year above themselves.



Thursday 30th April

Year 10 Boys and Girls Regional Handball Finals

On our second day up to Stoke Mandeville our U15 teams looked to try and qualify for the National finals following in the footsteps of last years year 8 girls team.

First was the turn of the boys, they faced a tough opener against John Hampden, a valiant effort saw TPS hit the bar 4 times and have multiple shots saved by the oppositions goalkeeper meant the game finished 8-6 to John Hampden. Due to a team dropping out of the competition, this left TPS with a must win game against Poole High. The boys were tactically sensational and stuck to a game plan impeccable well reducing the opportunities for the opposition to score. The game finished 10-7 to TPS and gave them hope of reaching the final. Unfortunately due to finishing second in the league, they had the formidable task of facing Aylesbury Grammar who have a close relationship with Bucks Mavericks Handball team. The boys gave it their best but again, slightly less clinical in front of goal meant that Aylesbury went through to the final and eventually won the final.

The boys finished their campaign with a repeat fixture against John Hampden for the third and fourth place play off. The final score mirrored the first game with John Hampden winning by two goals.

Finally it was the turn of the girls, unfortunately another team in their league had withdrawn which meant that TPS needed to start well. Despite a shaky first few minutes, TPS found their feet in the game and beat Grange school 8-5. This set up a tie against Sanders school, a win here would see TPS top the group. The girls were resilient in defence and deserved their 5-2 win. This set up a tie with Royal Latin, the girls put in a better performance in this game and kept their nerve to win the game 8-4, securing their place in the National Finals.

The final game of the day saw TPS play Highcliffe school, a team that a lot of the girls know each other from playing handball against Dorset outside of school. A really close final saw Highcliffe win the game 7-4.

Congratulations to all of the players involved in the last two days of competitions. Best of luck to the U15 Girls who travel to Nottingham University on 25th June for the National Finals.





BRITISH SCHOOLS CYCLING ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL HILL CLIMB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Solent Pirates
Youth Cycling Club

BSCA National Hill Climb
6th JUNE 2026
Ditcham Park School, Petersfield
Categories: U7 U9 U11 U13 U15 O15

Registration
8:00am - 10:00am
Sign up by
30th May 2026!

Contact: Gordon Watson: solentpiratesevents@gmail.com



Solent Pirates
Youth Cycling Club

GIRLS CYCLING SESSION

SATURDAY 16TH MAY

9:30-12:00

THORNEY ISLAND

For further
information
and to book



Come and try cycling with our friendly and supportive club

We are a youth cycling club for 6-16 year olds with a focus on fun, friendship and inclusivity and we would love to welcome more girls to our club. **No experience needed although you must be able to ride a bike independently.**

We offer:

- A range of different cycling experiences including road, cyclocross and track
- Workshops to develop rider confidence.
- Family ride outs
- Annual camping trip



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[@SOLENTPIRATESYC](https://www.instagram.com/solentpiratesyc)

Hot Food Menu

MAIN MEALS

From £2.75

13/04, 04/05, 01/06,
22/06, 13/07

SUMMER MENU
WEEK ONE

TASTE OF INDIA	BRITISH CLASSICS	MEXICAN MOMENTS	FUSION	CHIP SHOP
Chicken Tikka Massala	Butchers Sausages with Onion Gravy	Chilli Con Carne with Sour Cream	Crispy Panko Chicken Burger with Curry Mayo	Battered Fish Fillet or Chicken Tenders
Crispy Paneer Vegetable Massala	Grilled Veggie Sausages with Onion Gravy	Eat Curious Chilli Non-Carne with Sour Cream	Crispy Onion Bhaji Burger with Curry Mayo	Spicy Bean Burger
Bombay Potatoes Pilau Rice	Creamy Mashed Potato Broccoli & Carrots	Zesty Lime & Coriander Rice Mexican Chopped Salad	Spicy Wedges House Slaw	Chips Peas
Extras: Naan Bread	Extras: Yorkshire Pudding	Extras: Soft or Crispy Tortilla	Extras: Cheese Slices	Extras: Curry Sauce

Meal-Deal
Only £2.99

Check out what's on offer today,
available for free school meals!



GLOBAL EATS

From £2.75

Pepperoni Quesadilla with Spicy Nachos

Loaded Wedges with Sour Cream

Hot Roast Dinner Baguette with Chicken or Pork

Portuguese Peri-Peri Chicken & Rice

DESSERTS

MONDAY
Raspberry & White Chocolate Cake

TUESDAY
Jammie Dodger Cake

WEDNESDAY
Popcorn Brownie

THURSDAY
Chocolate Pudding with Chocolate Sauce

FRIDAY
Biscoff & Buttercream Cake

From £1.50

ALLERGENS

we're allergy aware!



If you have a food allergy or intolerance, please ask the Allergen Guru or Manager about the ingredients in your meal.

LOOK OUT FOR DAILY
★ **THEME BARS,** ★
& SALAD BAR

PASTA & JACKETS STATION

MONDAY – FRIDAY
See our daily menu for the choice of the day

Bolognese
Basil Pesto
Tomato & Basil
Meatball Marinara
Spicy Tomato Arrabbiata
Mac & Cheese

From £2.35

And Finally...



We have recently uncovered a Team TPS archive of old photos and press cuttings. Over the next few months we would like to share some of these wonderful memories with you .

This week: The Team TPS Guinea Fowl



In 2016 a pair of guinea fowl decided to make TPS their new home.

In 2016 Terry and Gerry were looking for somewhere to raise a family and decided the school field was the perfect location. Our feathered friends entertained staff and students for many years with their funny antics. A very handsome family, they could often be found admiring their reflections in the Science door. When they wanted to call to each other, staff cars provided the perfect perch. Gerry spent a long and happy life at TPS, outliving his entire family. During lockdown he regularly posted photos and updates, becoming a symbol of togetherness.



Useful Links



HASLEMERE FRINGE FESTIVAL

NOT-FOR-PROFIT ALTERNATIVE ARTS FESTIVAL SET UP & RUN BY THE COMMUNITY

3-5 JULY 2026
LION GREEN, HASLEMERE

REEF

Ocean Colour Scene

Ward Thomas

BUCKLE
BOOTS

THE SELECTER

Chanel Yates

TASH
HILLS
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SOUL CLUB

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Charity Fun Day! ***23 May***

Fun for all the family 23 May 2pm-8pm
Supporting The Lily Foundation - In memory of Baby Otto

Live Music (featuring Bluestone Bills; Lucy Allan)

***Stalls, Games, Vintage Cars, Tractor-trailer Ride, Face-painting,
Food & Drink***

Evening Disco
Entry £5 Adult | £2.50 Child

Also buy tickets on-line

Lily foundation website link – www.thelilyfoundation.org.uk

Fundraising video link – <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ojaFwQsnMOo>

Ottos fundraising page (all funds go direct to the Lily ringfenced for our project detailed in the video above) –
<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/rememberingotto>

Email Sarah on wylde_farm_events@outlook.com

THE DEFINITIVE TRIBUTE TO

MUS3

FRIDAY 8 MAY

THE STUDIO@TPS - PETERSFIELD



MUS3 is comprised of Dan Lines on vocals and guitar, Ali Martin on bass, and Kyle Fenton on drums. Together, they've honed their craft through countless gigs, mastering the detail, dynamics and explosive energy that fans expect from a true Muse experience — earning a reputation as one of the most authentic and thrilling Muse tribute acts around.

DOORS
6.30PM

START
7.15PM

FINISH
9.30PM

GENERAL ADMISSION: £20
GENERAL GROUP (4 TICKETS) £60

DISCOUNTED RATE:
TPS STUDENTS £15/£45
WITH **CODE: MUSE@TPS2026**

BOOK



NOW

Check out their **promotional video**: www.youtube.com/watch?v=qDsXU7NmV4c

🎵 Live Music Event for the TPS Community – Don't Miss MUS3! 🎵

We are excited to share a fantastic upcoming live music event

On **Friday 8 May**, the incredible **MUS3 – a spectacular Muse tribute act** – will be performing live at **The Studio**. This promises to be an unforgettable evening filled with all the iconic hits, energy, and atmosphere that Muse fans know and love.

As a special offer for our TPS community, **all parents, teachers, and students can receive a discounted ticket rate** by using the exclusive code:

MUSE@TPS2026

Be sure to use this code when booking your tickets via TicketSource:

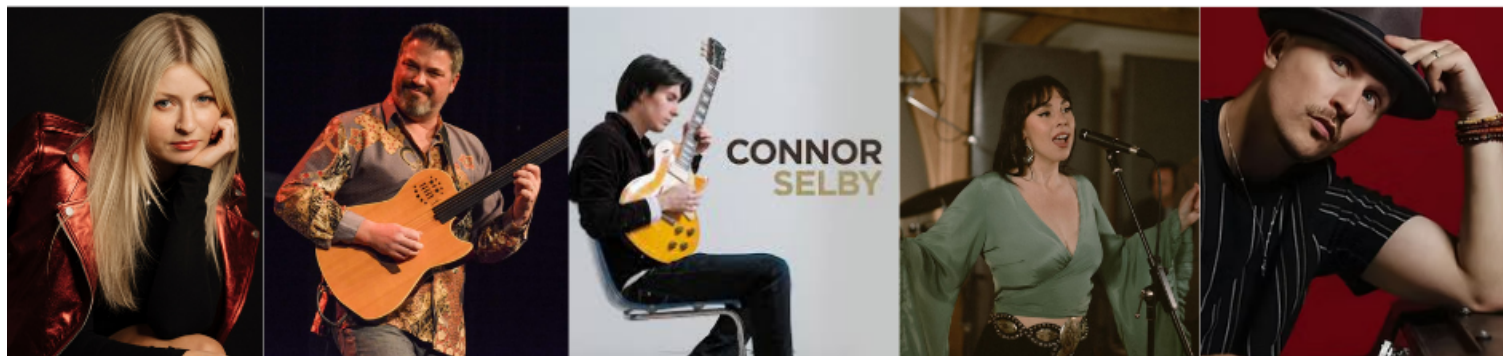
<https://www.ticketsource.com/thestudiotps/t-njozggy>

This is a brilliant opportunity to enjoy a night of live music together as a community, so please share with family and friends and book early to avoid disappointment.

We hope to see many of you there for what is sure to be an amazing night!

 PETERSFIELD JAZZ & BLUES FESTIVAL	SATURDAY 30TH MAY 11:30AM – 10:30PM IN THE GROUNDS OF BEDALES SCHOOL, STEEP, PETERSFIELD, GU32 2DG
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THE BEST IN JAZZ & BLUES



The best in Blues and Jazz at a friendly, boutique festival with over 15 bands, 11 hours of music. Set in beautiful grounds on 3 stages under 3 marquees. In addition there is Lindy Hop dance class, food & drink stalls, plenty of free parking and well behaved dogs are welcome.
All of this with tickets only £40.

Jess Hayes & Friends, Nicolas Meirer World Group, Connor Selby, Georgia Van Etten, Greg Coulson & many more.

Tickets at:
www.petersfieldjazzfest.com

The 3rd Petersfield Jazz & Blues Festival is taking place on Saturday 30 May in the grounds of Bedales School.

There will be an Open Mic stage with the aim of encouraging young players and elderly beginners.

The Open Mic will offer 15-minute slots (including set-up) and will be managed by a professional sound team.

Anyone who would like to do this - please get in touch with Mrs Voller who will pass sign up details on.

Players will get a free ticket to the festival.



[Click on the link to view the Team TPS ERA Week 26 Brochure](#)

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- Interviews thereafter
- Suitable for ECTs

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